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CHEROKEE

FOR THE SECRETARY FROM ATHERTON

U.S. DEL NO 26

E.O. 11652: GDS
TAGS: PGOV, XF, US
SUBJ: SADAT VISIT

REF: STATE 22259

1. I WILL PLAN TO RETURN TO WASHINGTON DIRECTLY FROM
CAIRO ON WEDNESDAY IF POSSIBLE BUT NO LATER THAN
THURSDAY. AS I SEE IT, THE ONLY UNCERTAINTY IS WHETHER I
SEE SADAT ON TUESDAY OR WEDNESDAY. YOU WILL RECALL THAT HERMANN
REPORTED THAT SADAT WANTED TO MEET WITH KAMEL AND ME.

2. AS REQUESTED REFTTEL, MIKE STERNER WILL RETURN TO WASHINGTON
DIRECTLY FROM ISRAEL THIS WEEKEND. I PLAN TO TAKE THE BALANCE
OF MY GROUP (KORN, SHERMAN AND HELEN KAMER) WITH ME TO CAIRO
AND ALL WILL RETURN WITH ME TO WASHINGTON.

3. I ASSUME THAT, ONCE SADAT VISIT IS ANNOUNCED, THERE WILL
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BE NO PROBLEM IN MY TELLING ISRAELIS AND EGYPTIANS, AS WELL
AS THE LOCAL PRESS WHICH FOLLOWS MY EVERY MOVE, ABOUT MY
TRAVEL PLANS. THEY WILL UNDOUBTEDLY ASK IF THIS IS THE END
OF MY MISSION, I WOULD PROPOSE TO SAY SIMPLY THAT WE WILL
KNOW BETTER NOW NEGOTIATIONS CAN BEST BE PURSUED FOLLOWING
SADAT VISIT BUT THAT I WILL OF COURSE COME BACK TO THE AREA
IF IT DEVELOPS THAT THAT WOULD BE USEFUL AND THE PARTIES SO

DESIRE.

4. ONCE SADAT VISIT IS ANNOUNCED, I WOULD APPRECIATE IT
IF HAL SAUNDERS COULD CALL BETTY AND INFORM HER OF MY TRAVEL
PLANS. PERHAPS HE COULD ALSO INFORM MRS. STERNER, MRS. KORN
AND MRS. SHERMAN.
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